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For : VEHICLE OCCUPANT SAFETY  
SYSTEM WITH AN ELECTRIC  
MOTOR DRIVEN PRETENSIONER

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PATENTS

U.S. Patent No. 4,655,312

U.S. Patent No. 5,718,451

U.S. Patent No. 5,558,370

U.S. Patent No. 4,666,097

RELEVANCE

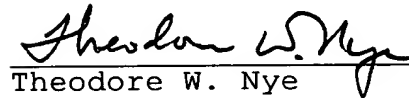
Discloses an electrically adjusted safety restraint system.

Discloses an integrated vehicle occupant energy management system and method.

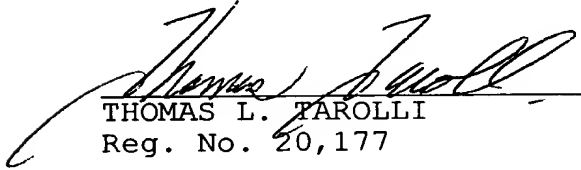
Discloses an electronic seat belt tensioning system.

Discloses a method and apparatus for winding seat belt thereof.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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